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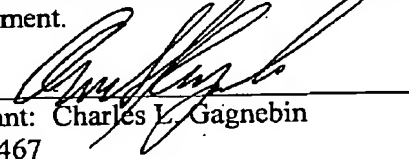
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In re application of: Atsushi Koide et al.

Entitled: METHOD FOR PRODUCING COMPOSITE METAL PRODUCT

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$ ) per §1.17(e).
- ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on per §1.116.
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- ☐ Other:

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